

State Water Resources Control Board

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(Via email and Certified Mail)
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Mr. James Jones
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**SUBJECT: NOTICE OF VIOLATION; UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK SYSTEM
LOCATED AT FDIC ECKER SQUARE BUILDING, 25 JESSIE STREET,
SAN FRANCISCO**

Dear Mr. Jones:

As part of an initiative by the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board) to ensure compliance at government-owned and/or operated underground storage tank (UST) facilities in California, the State Water Board staff inspected the UST at your facility on August 30, 2018, pursuant to authority under Health and Safety Code (H&SC), chapter 6.7, section 25289.

The State Water Board has identified the following violations pursuant to H&SC, chapter 6.7, and California Code of Regulations (CCR), title 23, chapter 16:

No.	Violation	Tank	Start Date	Stop Date	Regulation
1	Failure to Maintain Monitoring Plan – In CERS, the monitoring plan must be updated because it lists a previous employee.	All	August 30, 2018	September 6, 2018	H&SC 25286(a); 23 CCR 2632 (d)(1), 2711(a)(9)
2	Failure to Maintain Site Map – The site map was not available at the time of inspection.	All	August 30, 2018	September 6, 2018	23 CCR 2711(a)(8)
3	Failure to Monitor Product Piping – The sensor in the piping sump is unable to detect a leak at the earliest opportunity because it is not in a true vertical position.	All	August 30, 2018	Ongoing	23 CCR 2630(d)

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4	Failure to Monitor Product Piping – The sensor in the piping sump is unable to detect a leak at the earliest opportunity because the testing boots were on.	All	August 30, 2018	Ongoing	23 CCR 2630(d)

You are directed to correct the ongoing violations and submit compliance documentation to the State Water Board and San Francisco City & County Public Health Department within sixty (60) days from the date of this letter. Have your Designated Operator make specific notations in the next monthly designated operator report indicating the ongoing violations have been corrected. The monthly designated operator report and any associated photos must be submitted as proof of compliance.

Please send all compliance documentation to the following:

State Water Board

Ms. Rebecca Green
UST Enforcement Unit
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State Water Resources Control Board
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Local CUPA

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Pursuant to Health and Safety Code, chapter 6.7, section 25299, the owner and operator of the tank(s) are liable for a penalty of \$500 to \$5,000 per tank, per day of violation. These penalties will continue to accrue until the violations have been corrected.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (916) 341-5551, or by email at amantha.henkel@waterboards.ca.gov.

Sincerely,



Amantha Henkel
Senior Environmental Scientist
UST Enforcement Unit
Office of Enforcement

cc: See next page.

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